

Docket No.: C34037/118297

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)		
Sang-Hee LEE, et al.)		
Serial No.: 09/691,413) Examiner: Wenpeng Chen	RECEIVED	
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May 21, 2003

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES INCLUDING PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request a three month extension of time in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed November 25, 2002, hereby extending the period for response from February 25, 2003 until May 25, 2003. Accordingly, this Notice of Appeal is timely filed with an executed certificate of mailing on or before May 25, 2003. See 37 CFR §1.8. A check in the amount of \$930.00 to cover the required fee for a large entity pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) is enclosed herewith.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the November 25, 2002 decision of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, and 30-43.

Claims 2-29 have been removed from consideration. No claims have been allowed. The Office Action set an extendible three-month shortened statutory period for response. Accordingly, with the preceding 3-month extension request, this NOTICE OF APPEAL is filed timely upon mailing, with an executed certificate of mailing, on or before May 25, 2003. 37 CFR §§ 1.8, and 1.136. A check in the amount of \$320.00 for the Appeal Fee is enclosed.

It is not believed that this response requires any other fees, but if our checks are missing or otherwise insufficient, or if any additional fees are required, for example, for lodging this appeal or for filing the Appeal Brief, not otherwise paid by check, the Commissioner is authorized to charge (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 02-4467. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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